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Sir:

It is respectfully requested that the time for response to the Office Action dated 1/28/05 be extended for a period of 1 month(s) from 4/28/05 to and including 5/28/05.

The fee for this extension is estimated to be \$120.00. Please charge the required fee to Jones Day Deposit Account No. 50-3013. A copy of this sheet is enclosed.

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